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Since 2011, the EEAS carries out the EU's Common Foreign and Security Policy to promote peace, prosperity, security, and the interests of Europeans across the globe.

The EEAS works under the political guidance of the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice-President of the European Commission (often referred to as HR/VP).

Josep Borrell assumed the role of HR/VP in December 2019.

The HR/VP role entails making the European Union stronger and its voice heard on the international stage, working closely with the foreign and defence ministries of the member states of the European Union, the other EU institutions, and fostering partnerships with the United Nations and other International Organisations.

As the EU's chief diplomat, the HR/VP steers foreign and security policy on behalf of the European Union and coordinates the EU's foreign policy tools.

He also heads the European Defence Agency.

All over the world, the European External Action Service, in coordination with other European Union institutions, addresses EU foreign policy priorities, including civilian and military planning and crisis response.





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Josep Borrell

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ABOUT THIS BOOK

"EU Foreign Policy in action – 10 years of EU Diplomacy around the world" is the outcome of a call for photos launched by the EEAS Strategic Communications team to all EU Delegations, Missions and Operations on the occasion of the 10th anniversary of the European External Action Service.

The objective of the call was to collect photos from all 144 EU Diplomatic Representations and 17 Missions and Operations highlighting the EU's action in countries across the globe.

This publication zooms in on the diversity of the work accomplished by the EU Delegations, Missions and Operations, giving a sample of what the EU does in the field, and how EU foreign policy is put in action around the world. These images are of course only a selection and a small fraction of the breadth of our external action.

These photos were also promoted digitally on the EEAS web and social media channels as part of the #EEAS10 campaign.



FOREWORD EEAS Secretary-General STEFANO SANNINO



This year, 2021, is a very special year for the European External Action Service as we complete our first decade.

The launching of the EEAS ten years ago was an important step in the European integration process, and international challenges ever since show us the need to further develop our European common foreign policy.

We should proudly show our achievements and at the same time reflect on what we need to do next. We have to project who we are and what we do on a daily basis to make the European Union stronger and safer, while adapting to many challenges.

This is precisely the goal of this photobook that I have the pleasure to present to you with a self-explanatory title: "EU Foreign Policy in Action".

This book is a collection of great pictures of what we concretely do in the name of the EU everyday around the world, including some significant moments that have shaped our common European Union foreign policy.

Thanks to the work of our 144 EU Diplomatic Representations and 17 Missions and Operations on the ground, the EU plays a vital role in promoting its principles by cooperating with partners across the globe. I want to thank our EU Delegations and our Missions and Operations for their contribution to this book, and also pay tribute to their invaluable role in representing the European Union far from home.

I hope you will enjoy this book as much as I have... an experience of striking images of how we translate European foreign policy making into tangible action, on behalf of our citizens, and with our partners around the world.

Stefano SANNINO EEAS Secretary General









On 7 December 2019, Ursula von der Leyen, President of the European Commission, and Jutta Urpilainen, European Commissioner for International Partnerships, travelled to Ethiopia. This visit was the first official visit of the new European Commission outside the EU and focused on bilateral meetings with the Ethiopian government as well as the African Union.

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DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

TO THE AFRICAN UNION





Meeting tree **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ANGOLA**

In the central Highlands of Angola, villagers gathered under a tree to learn about land governance and sustainable natural resource management (2019).





Sensibilisation des femmes de l'Association Villageoise de Crédit (AVEC) de Nikki **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU BÉNIN**

Visite de la Délégation de l'UE aux femmes de l'Association Villageoise d'Epargne et de Crédit du projet « PACTE pour les Enfants et les Femmes », financé par l'UE et Care International Bénin/Togo, dans la commune de Nikki (Département du Borgou). Activité réalisée le 30 octobre 2018 dans le cadre d'une visite de terrain du Chef de Délégation.





The EU says "STOP" to Gender-Based Violence

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO BOTSWANA

AND SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY (SADC)

During the COVID-19 pandemic, Gender-Based Violence (GBV) has increased in Botswana. Throughout the year, and especially during the 16 Days of Activism from 25 November to 10 December 2020, the EU Delegation to Botswana and the Southern African Develpment Community (SADC) strongly engaged in the fight against GBV, by funding Non Govermental Organisations active in the field. The Head of Delegation participated in several awareness-raising cycling events while the Delegation staff participated in a 25 km Walk away from GBV.

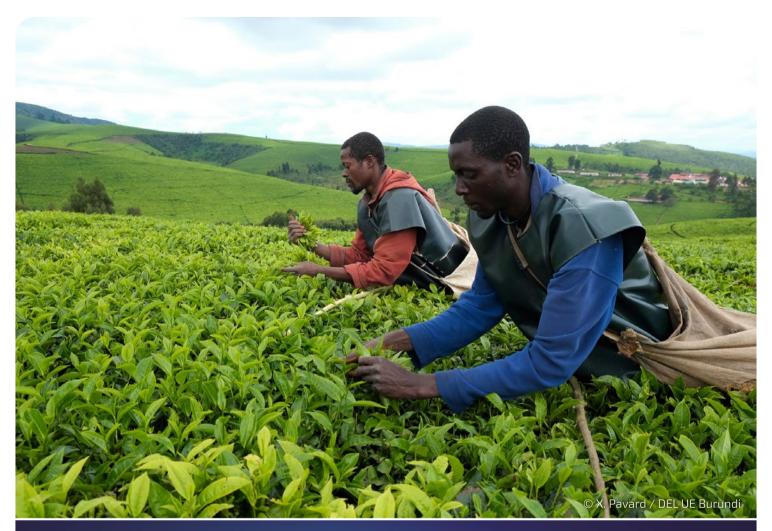




Alimentation d'un jeune enfant au Burkina Faso **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU BURKINA FASO**

Plusieurs régions du Burkina Faso sont en proie à une crise sécuritaire occasionnant le déplacement massif des populations. Ces déplacements ont engendré une crise alimentaire sans précédent touchant en majorité les jeunes enfants. L'Union européenne soutient plusieurs projets intervenant dans la lutte contre la malnutrition infantile. Nourrir un enfant, c'est nourrir l'espoir (2020).





Récolte des feuilles de thé à Teza **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU BURUNDI**

Programme de réhabilitation de la filière du thé au Burundi – Fonds 7ème et 8ème Fonds Européen de Développement (FED) mis en œuvre sous le 10ème FED (2007-2010) – 3 millions d'Euros.

Ce programme visait la réhabilitation des équipements industriels de 5 usines à thé du Burundi pour permettre à la filière d'exploiter pleinement son potentiel, en particulier à l'exportation (2017).





EU response to Covid-19 **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO CABO VERDE**

Distribution of food and hygienic articles to 500 families on the islands of Fogo, Santiago and Sao Vicente with NGO partners and the Cabo Verdean Ministry of Social Inclusion. Among the beneficiaries are families headed by women, women with disabilities, victims of gender-based violence and domestic workers, people living with HIV and prisoners (1 May 2020).

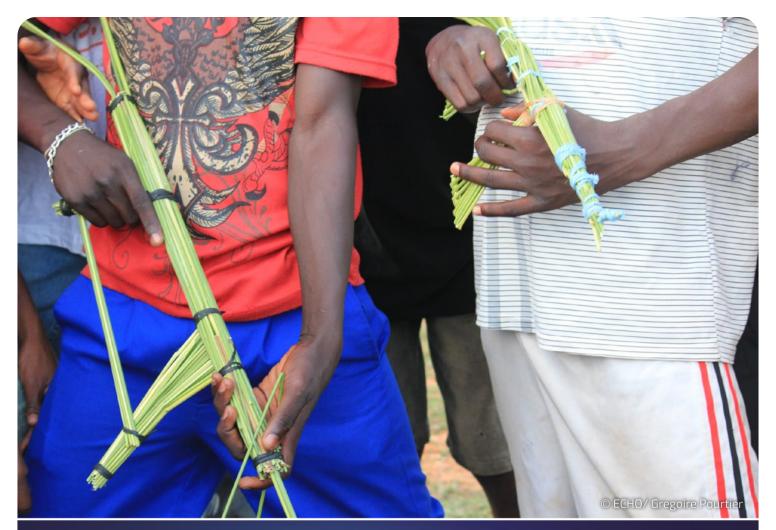




Cours d'alphabétisation DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU CAMEROUN

40 enfants issus de familles dont les parents n'arrivent pas à assurer la scolarité suivent des cours d'alphabétisation dans un village du département du Mayo-Sava, au Cameroun. Parmi eux, les élèves des écoles coraniques et les déplacés ayant fui les attaques du groupe armé Boko Haram (2020).





Réhabilitation des enfants soldats **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN RÉPUBLIQUE CENTRAFRICAINE**

La Commissaire européenne à la coopération internationale, à l'aide humanitaire et à la réponse aux crises, Kristalina Georgieva et la coordinatrice des interventions d'urgence des Nations Unies, Valerie Amos, ont effectué une visite conjointe en République centrafricaine où elles ont exprimé leur profonde inquiétude quant au sort des personnes touchées par l'instabilité à travers le pays. Elles ont en outre appelé à une augmentation des services humanitaires (11 Juillet 2013).





La Délégation de l'UE participe à la « Campagne des 16 jours d'activisme contre les violences faites aux femmes ». **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU TCHAD**

Cette photo a été prise avec les collègues, devant la Délégation de l'Union européenne au Tchad, à l'occasion de sa participation, comme les années précédentes, à la Campagne "des 16 jours d'activisme contre les violences faites aux femmes" qui s'est déroulée du 25 novembre au 10 décembre 2020. La main orange était le symbole de la campagne. La campagne a été suivie par des programmes/projets financés par l'UE, tel que le programme PRAJUST 2 (Programme d'Appui à la Justice au Tchad – Phase 2).





Chocolaterie du parc des Virunga DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN RÉPUBLIQUE DÉMOCRATIQUE DU CONGO

La protection de la biodiversité avec la construction des centrales hydroélectriques permet la création de microentreprises au bénéfice des populations, en tout premier lieu les femmes et les jeunes. Sujet au cœur des débats du dialogue politique organisé à Kinshasa du 5 au 6 octobre 2020 entre La RDC et l'UE.





Beach clean-up (Nettoyage des plages) **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN RÉPUBLIQUE DU CONGO**

Nettoyage des plages à Pointe-Noire, capitale économique du Congo (Septembre 2019).





Lire dans le parc DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN RÉPUBLIQUE DE DJIBOUTI ET AUPRÈS DE L'IGAD

La Délégation de l'Union Européenne à Djibouti a organisé un évènement culturel « Lire au parc » gratuit et ouvert à tous sous le patronage de la Maire de Djibouti et en partenariat avec l'Association La Caravane du Livre et la Librairie Victor Hugo le lundi 16 juillet 2018 à Djibouti-Ville.





Waiting for the European movie to start **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ERITREA**

Young students of the Mendefera Junior School attending a movie session during the 15th European Film Festival in Eritrea, the first one entirely dedicated to children. In one week, more than 8000 children in Eritrea had the opportunity to watch a wide selection of European movies (29 October 2019).

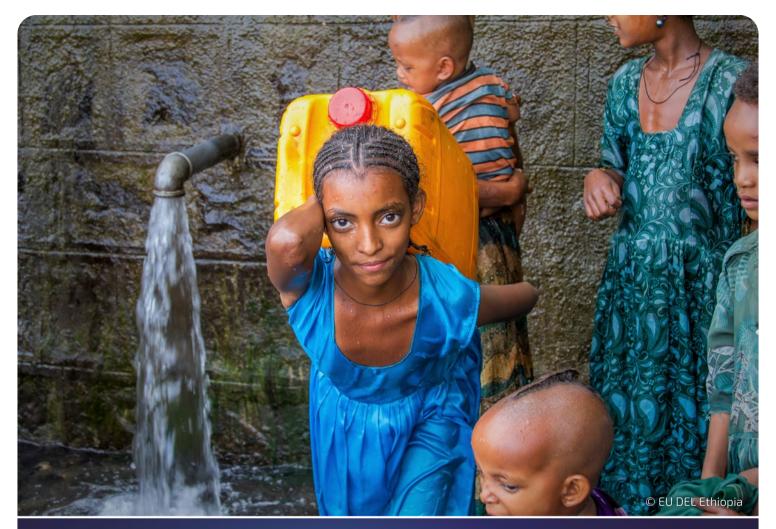




EUnited Arts of Eswatini **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ESWATINI**

This photo shows the EU's further outreach in arts and culture in Eswatini by targeting out of school youth and helping to develop their art skills, thus contributing to socio-economic development and job creation. It shows a project implemented in Eswatini in 2019 by Minerva, an Italian Non Governmental Organisation. This project was known as "EUnited Arts of Eswatini". One of the performances during this project was a mixture of Swati and Italian artists with different musical instruments representing Europe and Eswatini (22 January 2019).





Clean water changes everything **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ETHIOPIA**

Integrated multi-sectoral approach to improve the resilience of vulnerable communities of Wag Himra Zone, Amhara National Regional State - Ethiopia. This water-point was constructed by the local Non Governmental Organisation Mekene Yesus in the framework of the EU project Resilience Building and Creation of Economic Opportunities in Ethiopia. Before the construction of the water point, the water the vulnerable communities collected came directly from the ground, and they used the same water point for their cattle. Twice a day, the girls go to the water point and fill up the yellow plastic jerry-cans which they carry on their backs. The jerry-cans can carry around 20 liters of water (2018).





L'Agence Nationale de la Préservation de la Nature (ANPN) et l'Union européenne appuient dans le cadre du programme ECOFAC 6 (Ecosystèmes Fragilisés d'Afrique Centrale) l'aménagement et le fonctionnement des parcs nationaux de Mayumba, la Lopé et Waka en vue d'améliorer la gouvernance des ressources naturelles et la gestion durable des aires protégées (2019).

« Gestion des Aires protégées »
Programme ECOFAC 6
DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU GABON,
SÃO TOMÉ E PRÍNCIPE ET LA CEEAC (COMMUNAUTÉ
ECONOMIQUE DES ETATS DE L'AFRIQUE CENTRALE)





Europe Day in The Gambia **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE GAMBIA**

"Paint my gele-gele" competition to celebrate Europe Day with talented artists of the Gambian Youth! (3 May 2019).





EU Beach Clean-up **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO GHANA**

Together we can keep Ghana cleaner: 220 volunteers collected 5,3 tons of waste in 2020.





Eau et assainissement en milieu rural et scolaire **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN RÉPUBLIQUE DE GUINÉE**

Une jeune écolière pompe de l'eau à un forage situé à l'école primaire de Sérédou (Macenta). Plusieurs dizaines de points d'eau ont été réalisés dans les zones rurales affectées par l'épidémie d'Ebola pour maintenir l'hygiène et l'assainissement (5 octobre 2017).





Strong Partnership: European Union and ECOWAS in Guinea-Bissau **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO GUINEA-BISSAU**

The EU and ECOWAS (Economic Community of West African States) marked the withdrawal of the (ECOWAS Mission in Guinea-Bissau) ECOMIB mission in a ceremony where the President of Guinea Bissau acknowledged the European Union for the multifaceted support given to ECOMIB.





UE Magic Tour **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN CÔTE D'IVOIRE**

Arrivée du bus de l'UE Magic Tour à Odienné. Pendant un mois, l'Union européenne et la Fondation Magic System, du groupe éponyme, ont sillonné vingt-cinq localités en Côte d'Ivoire avec une trentaine d'artistes ivoiriens, pour aller à la rencontre des populations et échanger sur les valeurs communes que l'Union européenne et la Côte d'Ivoire partagent (23 octobre 2019).





Makueni Fruit Processing plant starts tomato processing **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO KENYA**

On 28 October 2020, the Makueni Fruit Processing Plant, jointly financed with the European Union Delegation in Kenya, started processing tomatoes. The European Union Ambassador to Kenya, Mr Simon Mordue, and the Governor of Makueni County poured in the first batch (28 October 2020).





KESI Hands over energy kiosks in Mashai, Thaba-Tseka, Lesotho **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO LESOTHO**

The Renewable Energy Women Empowerment Project (REWEP) aims to assist 10 women entrepreneurs in Mashai, Thaba-Tseka with solar-powered kiosks. Mashai is a remote village in the Lesotho central highlands and access to energy is limited in the area. Through the project, several more women are trained to become sales agents of renewable energy technologies (December 2018).





Elections **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO LIBERIA**

Poll workers starting the tallying of votes after the closing of a polling station in Monrovia during the midterm Senatorial elections and Constitutional referendum held on 8 December 2020. This photo was taken by the Head of the EU Delegation to Liberia as he participated in the EU electoral diplomatic watch deployed by the EU Delegation and Embassies of EU Member States (France, Germany, Ireland and Sweden) in Monrovia and four other counties.





Atelier de production de foyers améliorés DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AUPRÈS DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE DE MADAGASCAR ET DE L'UNION DES COMORES

Programme d'Appui à la filière bois énergie en Régions Itasy et Analamanga AFIBERIA (2020).





Tree Planting - From one generation to another!

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

TO THE REPUBLIC OF MALAWI

Over the past 10 years, the EU has supported forestry in Malawi, protecting over 25 million trees and planting 2 million new ones. Every year EU partners communities, schools and district councils are planting more than 2000 new trees (28 February 2020).





Appui aux populations vulnérables **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU MALI**

Le programme KEY vise à améliorer les capacités de résilience des populations les plus vulnérables à l'insécurité alimentaire et nutritionnelle. Ses interventions sont concentrées sur les régions du Nord Mali dont la vulnérabilité à l'insécurité alimentaire et nutritionnelle est aggravée par la fragilité du contexte politique et sécuritaire (2019).





Formation de jeunes mauritaniens dans les filières de la maçonnerie en terre **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN MAURITANIE**

Ce programme de formation est une composante du Projet PECOBAT financé en Mauritanie par l'Union européenne, au travers du Fonds Fiduciaire d'urgence de l'Union européenne et mis en œuvre par le Bureau International du Travail (14 mars 2018).





"Notre lagon notre héritage, ensemble protégeons notre plage"

DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AUPRÈS DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE DE MAURICE

ET DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE DES SEYCHELLES

Vue aérienne de la plage publique de « Rivière des Créoles » à l'Ile Maurice. Il s'agit de l'une des zones directement affectées par le déversement d'hydrocarbures suite au naufrage du Wakashio. Photo prise lors du lancement avec la Team Europe de la campagne de sensibilisation du public sur l'importance des océans (2020).





A local female vendor, a beneficiary of one of the projects of post-cyclone reconstruction **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO MOZAMBIQUE**

The Savane Market, built by the beneficiaries themselves, is one of the undertakings by the Recovery Facility funded by the EU (14 October 2020).





Consulting indigenous communities on their cultural heritage in Corridor 13 **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO NAMIBIA**

The project "Revitalizations of indigenous languages to preserve culture" implemented by the Namibian University for Science and Technology focuses on protecting, promoting and preserving the cultural rights of Namibian indigenous groups and their languages (23 November 2019).





Arrivée de la HR/VP et de sa délégation au poste de commandement du fuseau centre de la Force conjointe du G5 Sahel à Niamey **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU NIGER**

La Haute Représentante de l'UE pour les Affaires Etrangères et la politique de sécurité, Vice-Présidente de la Commission européenne, Madame Federica Mogherini a rencontré le 11 juillet 2019, l'Etat-Major du poste de commandement du fuseau centre de la Force conjointe du G5 Sahel. À l'issue de la rencontre elle a procédé conjointement avec l'Ambassadeur de France à une remise d'équipements au profit des forces nigériennes engagées dans la Force conjointe G5 Sahel.





16 Days of Activism DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO NIGERIA AND ECOWAS (ECONOMIC COMMUNITY OF WEST AFRICAN STATES)

In commemoration of the 16 Days of Activism in 2019, EU Delegation Staff in Nigeria spoke up against Gender-Based Violence in the country.





The European Commission President attends the Commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the 1994 genocide against the Tutsi in Rwanda **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO RWANDA**

Jean-Claude Juncker attends the Commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the 1994 genocide against the Tutsi in Rwanda on 7 April 2019. His visit is testimony of the strong and lasting European Union support to Rwanda in the rehabilitation of the country and towards the reconciliation of its society (7 april 2019).





Rentrée scolaire - Covid-19 **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU SÉNÉGAL**

3.600 masques « inclusifs » ont été offerts aux élèves malentendants par le projet luttant contre la migration irrégulière à travers l'appui au secteur privé et à la création d'emplois au Sénégal. Dotés d'un cadre transparent au niveau de la bouche, ces masques permettent de lire sur les lèvres (Novembre 2020).



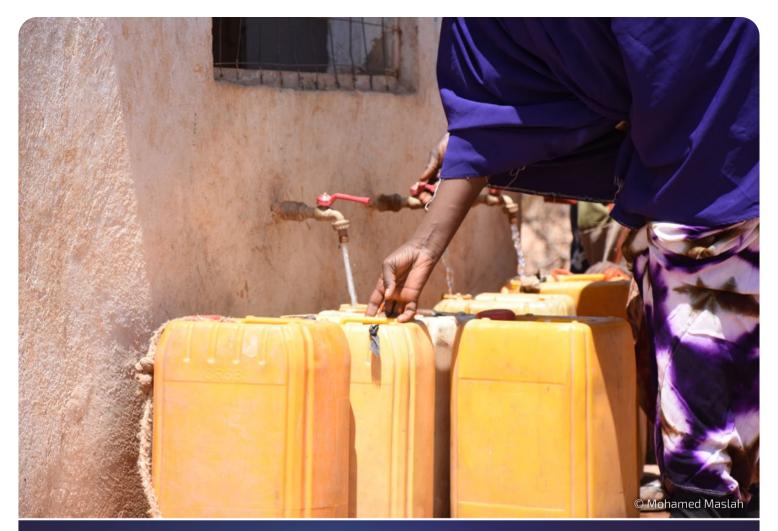


#EUStandsWithSalone campaign - Woman practicing hand hygiene in Karene District

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO SIERRA LEONE

Under the hashtag #EUStandsWithSalone, EU has stood side by side with Sierra Leone to fight COVID-19 on all fronts. Co-funded by Ireland, the "Team Europe Initiative Supporting District Level response to COVID-19" is implemented in 11 districts of Sierra Leone by a coalition of NGOs including Trócaire, Action for Advocacy and Development Sierra Leone (AAD-SL) and Kambia District Development and Rehabilitation Organisation (KADDRO) (6 October 2020).





Stepping up aid to provide clean water in Somalia **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO SOMALIA**

Construction of key water source in Abore Village in Somalia. This picture shows some of the community members fetching water from the water kiosk. The water source has proved to be a lifeline for the community. This water system is used to prevent the Covid-19 pandemic and was financed by the EU (September 2019).





The Delegation Staff take up the Jerusalema challenge **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO SOUTH AFRICA**

One of the most uplifting moments in our foreign/public diplomacy in the past decade was taking up President Ramaphosa's challenge to publicly participate in the global Jerusalema dance craze to a track of music (the 2019 hit Jerusalema by Master KG and Nomcebo Zikode) that provided an uplifting soundtrack at a time of widespread despair/depression after the impact and cost of the first Covid-19 wave in South Africa became evident. The dance became wildly popular in South Africa (and globally - streamed more than 60m times on Spotify). The Delegation's participation was covered on social media by the country's Presidency (2019).





COVID-19 response humanitarian Air Bridge flight **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO SOUTH SUDAN**

In a country with nearly no roads, #TeamEurope operated a Humanitarian Air Bridge flight to Juba South Sudan allowing important supplies for the COVID-19 response and other humanitarian needs to reach South Sudan (29 July 2020).





HR/VP Borell visits Zam Zam Camp in North Darfur **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO SUDAN**

Josep Borell Fontelles, High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice President of the European Commission, visits Zam Zam Camp in North Darfur, Sudan. The HR/VP visited a health clinic and talked to women groups (1 March 2020).





Being climate-smart **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO TANZANIA**

Being climate-smart in the Dodoma Region of Tanzania means growing crops like sorghum and millet, which are drought resistant. The Global Climate Change Alliance Project funded by the European Union means farmers like James Maligana have adapted to the adverse effects of climate change by growing new crops (6 June 2018).





La joie d'avoir accès à une eau potable durable **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU TOGO**

Utilisation d'une bonne fontaine par les riverains à Adétikopé dans la banlieue sud de Lomé (2019).





Skilling refugees for development **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO UGANDA**

Uganda hosts the largest number of refugees in Africa, implementing policies that are among the most progressive in the world. The European Union is supporting Uganda in this effort and is funding projects to equip refugees with skills development and access to education and water, while providing parallel support to their host communities (2018).





EU Walk Run 2019 **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ZAMBIA AND COMESA**

In the framework of the European month, the EU Delegation to Zambia and the Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa (COMESA) has been organising since 2017 the EU Walk and Run open for everyone. Activities are aimed at all age groups, including a 10km run or 5km walk for adults and teenagers and a 1km Bafana Walk for children. The 2019 edition proved to be extremely successful with nearly 1000 people participating (2019).





Food security **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE REPUBLIC OF ZIMBABWE**

EU Ambassador Timo Olkkonen assists in the distribution of food in Chimanimani, Zimbabwe, after the region was devastated by Cyclone Idai. The EU provided funds for a helicopter that allowed the World Food Programme to access the areas cut off by flooding and landslides and assist people in need with food and shelter (27 March 2019).









EU Beach Clean-up in Argentina DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ARGENTINA

2019 EU Beach Clean-up - Rio de la Plata, Vicente López, Buenos Aires-Argentina. 450 volunteers and 3 tons of waste collected (mostly plastics).

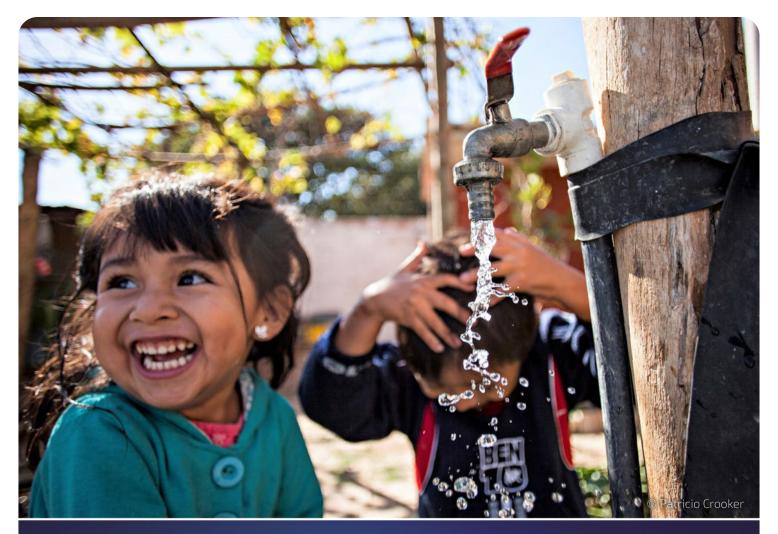




Christmas in the Square **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO BARBADOS**

The Commonwealth Society organises an event called "Christmas in the Square" where International Organisations work with a primary school to have students, under the guidance of teachers, use their creativity in decorating Christmas trees that go on display in the Capital Bridgetown (12 December 2019).





Access to clean water is a Human Right **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO BOLIVIA**

The EU supports Bolivians to have access to potable water for their families in the most vulnerable regions of the country (2015).





Visit to Santa Rosa Farm **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO BRAZIL**

EU Ambassador to Brazil Ignacio Ybáñez, planting a tree in a sustainable agriculture farm during the visit to the Amazon organised by Vice President Mourão with close partners of Brazil (4-6 November 2020).





"Our Arctic Future", Students on Ice 2018 Expedition **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO CANADA**

Our future depends on protecting the Arctic. For years, the EU has been collaborating with Canada to mitigate the impact of climate change, safeguard the Arctic environment, create sustainable development opportunities and raise awareness about challenges in the region. Our partnership with the Students on Ice Foundation illustrates this collaboration.





Together against the fires in Chile **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO CHILE**

In February 2017, the European Union provided assistance to Chile to fight the worst forest fires in 50 years. 69 firefighters from France, 52 firefighters from Portugal and 56 firefighters from Spain were deployed while Sweden and Austria provided in-kind technical equipment.





Ancestral Knowledge - Project Paramos: biodiversity and water resources in the Northern Andes **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO COLOMBIA**

The indigenous communities from the Nariño department transmit their ancestral knowledge about the ecological restauration to the next generations (July 2019).





Award ceremony of the Third Edition of the EU Gender Equality Prize **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO COSTA RICA**

On 8 March, the Ambassador of the European Union Maria Antonia Calvo Puerta together with the Vice-President of the Republic Epsy Campbell and the Ambassadors of Germany, Spain, the Netherlands, France, and the Embassy of Italy, presented the European Union Gender Equality Award in Costa Rica, corresponding to its III Edition. The competition aims to recognise, at the national level and annually, a person, group of persons, entity or organisation that has distinguished itself in an outstanding manner in the defence, promotion or protection of gender equality in the social, cultural, economic or political spheres (8 March 2021).





Exhibition on European Cultural Heritage **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO CUBA**

The exhibition "Perpetuos renovados, una mirada a 28 sitios ejemplares del patrimonio cultural europeo" took place in May 2018, in Havana (Cuba), to celebrate the European Year of Cultural Heritage.





European Union - Dominican Republic commemorative post stamp DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

To celebrate the 30 years of shared values, fraternity and excellent relations with the European Union, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the National Post Stamp Institute issued a commemorative post stamp. The illustration of the stamp was chosen through a contest (8 May 2019).





Trade Development and Production Fostering - Science, Technology and Innovation **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ECUADOR**

The EU supports the strengthening of production and value chains of traditional products to promote sustainable, green and inclusive growth of small and medium enterprises. These projects improve the competitiveness through the introduction of innovation processes and production technology, associative marketing and training. The EU's action also takes into account the conservation of ecosystems through environmentally friendly production, as well as to strengthen the role and leadership of women producers (March 2018).





Human Rights Day 2017 DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO EL SALVADOR AND TO THE CENTRAL AMERICAN INTEGRATION SYSTEM (SICA)

In the framework of Human Rights Day 2017, the EU joined children in Suchitoto (Cuscatlan) for a fun day of activities that included a reading club, a child rights and human rights workshop and an evening of flying especially-themed piscuchas (kites) with messages such as Peace, Freedom and Human Rights.





Rap and crazy poetry for saving the lake DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO GUATEMALA

Juvi Hernández, a Mayan Singer from Lake Atitlán raps messages of peace in Spanish and in Tz'utujil (Mayan language) during the Europe Day Commemoration. La Merced Museum, Guatemala City (May 2015).





Orange the World

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO GUYANA, FOR SURINAME, AND WITH RESPONSIBILITY FOR ARUBA, BONAIRE, CURACAO, SABA, SAINT BARTHELEMY, SINT EUSTATIUS AND SINT MAARTEN

The EU Delegation in Guyana is very much focused on gender equality and women's rights, supporting those with a large number of political and cooperation actions. Symbolising that commitment, on the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women, in 2020, staff of the EU Delegation dressed in orange as a sign of solidarity with the fight against gender violence & for women's rights (25 November 2020).





Photo Route Nationale #3 **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN HAITI**

Réhabilitation de la Route Nationale #3 entre Port-au-Prince et la ville de Hinche qui facilite le déplacement entre les deux villes (12 février 2008).





Tawahka people in Honduras **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO HONDURAS**

Director-General for DEVCO (now INTPA), Mr. Manservisi, visited the community of Krausirpi, one of the nine indigenous peoples of Honduras, the Tawahka. The visit took place in the margins of the initialling of the Voluntary Partnership Agreement of Forest Law Enforcement, Governance and Trade (VPA FLEGT) between the EU and Honduras in June 2018. A VPA is a legally binding trade EU agreement with a timber-producing country (June 2018).

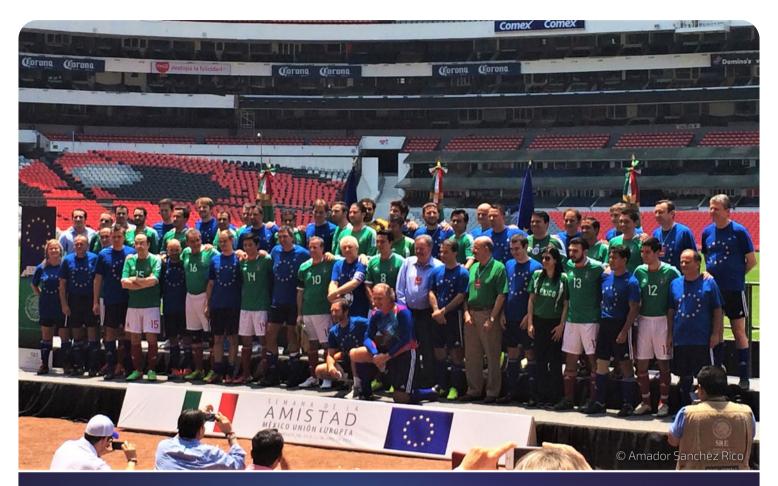




The Robert Schuman Roundabout in Agualtavale, St Mary DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO JAMAICA, BELIZE, TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS, BAHAMAS AND THE CAYMAN ISLANDS

The roundabout was renamed "Robert Schuman" on 9 May 2013, in celebration of the EU-Jamaica partnership and the EU's ongoing contribution to Jamaica's national development.





EU-Mexico Friendship Week **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO MEXICO**

The EU-Mexico Friendship Week 2015 ended with a football game between representatives of the European embassies against the SRE at the Azteca stadium (2015).





EU goes back to school DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO NICARAGUA

The Ambassador of the European Union in Nicaragua, Pelayo Castro Zuzuárregui, talks with primary school children during the activity "Cuéntame Europa", an event to promote EU culture through literature, using a playful and formative format: reading of kids' stories related to universal values promoted by the EU (peace, equality, solidarity and freedom) (20 February 2020).





500 trees to celebrate 500 years of Panama city **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO PANAMA**

With the help of 80 children from Panamanian schools, the Ambassadors of the EU and the Mayor of Panama city planted 500 trees offered by the EU Delegation to Panama to the City for its 500 years anniversary celebration (2019).





Puppets for climate leaders of tomorrow **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO PARAGUAY**

Children from an impoverished neighbourhood of Asunción are entertained and learn about the importance of caring for the environment, through a puppet show, as part of the Climate Action Week organised by the EU in Paraguay. Diverse activities which raise awareness about climate change and the environment are organised in Paraguay every year (October 2018).





Programme des Jeunes Ambassadeurs **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU PERU**

Des rencontres régulières ont lieu avec les jeunes écoliers pour les sensibiliser au changement climatique et à la protection de l'environnement. Lors de ces échanges les élèves se transforment en véritables ambassadeurs pour le climat, échangeant leur idées et points de vue (Juin 2019).





Child rights **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO**

Celebrating with Children on World Children's Day 2015 – Former Chargé d'Affaires of the EU Delegation to Trinidad and Tobago, Daniela Tramacere, chats with students of the Sangre Grande Primary School during a visit to the school to mark the 25th Anniversary of the Rights of the Child (October 2015).





EU interns share a moment of levity DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE UNITED NATIONS - NEW YORK

Young diplomats-in-training are vital to the work of the EU Delegation to the UN, and #UNGA, the United Nations General Assembly High Level Week, the largest gathering of world leaders, is the highlight of our year. Through training and mentorship, we empower young people to become the next generation of global leaders (19 September 2018).





Pride Parade **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

For the first time the EU Delegation participated in the Washington DC Pride Parade to help raise awareness. Representatives from several EU Member States participated in the EU Delegation part of the Parade, while others had their own floats and sections (6 June 2019).

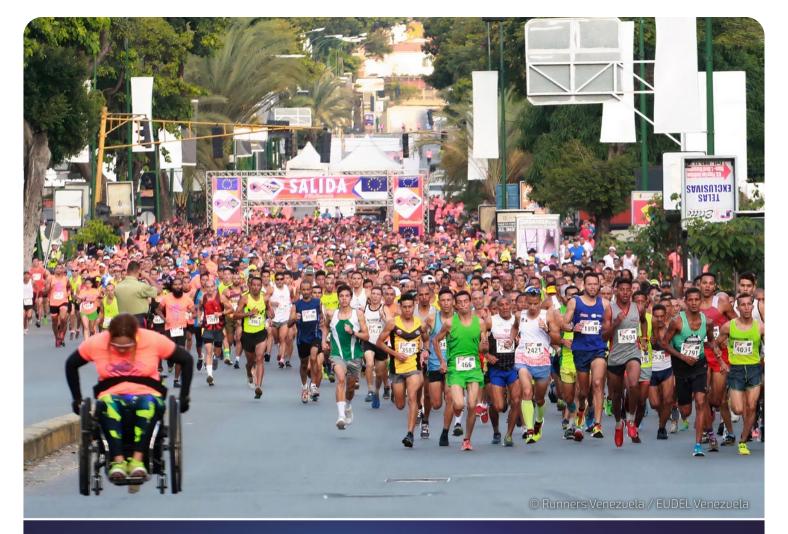




European Folk Festival DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO URUGUAY

Folk festival for EU Member States communities (2016).





EU Race against violence against women **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO VENEZUELA**

More than 4000 people gathered in Caracas for the 3rd edition of the EU Race in Venezuela against violence towards women in 2019. This Public Diplomacy activity, coordinated by the EU Delegation, is an example of joint work with Member States, involving local authorities, civil society and citizens to raise awareness and a united voice against gender violence.









Field training **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO AFGHANISTAN**

Farmers are provided with field training in Baghlan province of Afghanistan (18 May 2007).





EU at the Association of Southeast Asian Nations 50th Anniversary Parade **EUROPEAN UNION MISSION TO THE ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN NATIONS (ASEAN)**

The EU joined the ASEAN 50th Anniversary Parade on 27 August 2017 in Jakarta. The EU team was comprised of 120 parade participants, including staff and family members of the EU Mission to ASEAN, the EU Delegation to Indonesia and Embassies of EU Member States; as well as Erasmus alumni. The year 2017 was a special year for both the EU and ASEAN as it marked the 60th Anniversary of the EU, the 50th Anniversary of ASEAN and the 40th Anniversary of the EU-ASEAN Dialogue Relations.





Blue on Blue: Australia's most iconic landmark lights up for Europe Day **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO AUSTRALIA**

The sails of the Sydney Opera House shone brightly in the European Union colours of blue and gold to celebrate Europe Day in 2017.





EU Ambassador, European Civil Protection and Humanitarian Aid Operations Deputy Director General and Head of ECHO (European Civil protection and Humanitarian Aid Civil Operations) Office in Bangladesh met with teachers in one of the education centers in the camps financed with the European Union's help (2 February 2020).

A visit to the Rohingya refugee camp in Cox's Bazar

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

TO BANGLADESH





European Union and United Nations working together for Cambodia **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO CAMBODIA**

Representatives of the European Union and the United Nations met in Phnom Penh on 28 January 2021, to discuss how to work together more effectively in Cambodia, accelerate progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals and create even better impact in the lives of all of Cambodia's people, to build back better after the Covid-19 pandemic.





Ping pong **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO CHINA**

On 31 August 2010, Catherine Ashton, High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice President of the European Commission, visited a primary school in Guizhou Province and played ping pong with a student in the margins of the EU-China Strategic Dialogue.





The EU invests in building the capacity of the youth as a way of strengthening reliance against climate change impacts

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION FOR THE PACIFIC RESPONSIBLE FOR COOK ISLANDS, FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA, FIJI, KIRIBATI, NAURU, NIUE, PALAU, REPUBLIC OF MARSHALL ISLANDS, SAMOA, SOLOMON ISLANDS, TONGA, TUVALU, VANUATU AS WELL AS THE THREE OVERSEAS COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES IN THE PACIFIC

Villagers on Fiji's Beqa Island now have the skills of building and sailing healthier and environmentally friendly marine transportation, with the support of the Pacific-European Union Marine Partnership Programme funded by the European Union and Government of Sweden (22 January 2021).





EU Office in Hong Kong hosts live concert for the opening of the European Union Film Festival EUROPEAN UNION OFFICE TO HONG KONG AND MACAO

On 8 February 2017, the European Union Office to Hong Kong and Macao opened the European Union Film Festival with a live concert of iconic scores from European films. The performances were matched with scenes from each film projected on screen.





Natural Partners **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO INDIA AND BHUTAN**

S. Jaishankar, Indian External Minister with Josep Borrell Fontelles, High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice-President of the European Commission. Under their leadership, not only has the relationship widened and deepened, but the two sides have stepped up their joint efforts for post-Corona economic recovery, and on other regional and global issues (2012).





Baby elephant Eropa with Elephant Patrol **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO INDONESIA AND BRUNEI DARUSSALAM**

In October 2015, the EU Delegation to Indonesia 'adopted' Eropa – a newborn Sumatran elephant from the Tangkahan Conservation Response Unit in the Leuser Ecosystem – to strengthen conservation efforts. The naming and adoption of the baby elephant Eropa highlights the EU's long-term commitment to the unique Leuser Ecosystem and contribution of over €50 million to protect and sustainably manage Aceh and North Sumatra's forests.





Opening ceremony of the Europa house in 2011 **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO JAPAN**

Catherine Ashton, High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice-President of the European Commission, went to Japan where she notably inaugurated the new Europa House building housing the EU Delegation to Japan. She then went to the devastated town of Higashimatsushima in the Miyagi Prefecture, one of the areas hit hardest by the earthquake and tsunami on 11 March 2011. The EU was among the first to offer both material and financial aid to Japan to support early recovery for the victims affected by the earthquake, tsunami and nuclear incident of Fukushima.





Hangeul (the Korean Alphabet) Day Celebration **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA**

The Delegation of the European Union to the Republic of Korea staff celebrated 9 October, Hangeul Day, a national Korean commemorative day marking the invention and the proclamation of Hangeul, the alphabet of the Korean language by the 15th-century Korean monarch Sejong the Great. The staff of the EU Delegation to the RoK hold sign reading "I love Hangeul" in front of the statute of Sejong the Great in Gwanghwamun Square, central Seoul (9 October 2020).





Biodiversity protection led by locals **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC**

A villager participating in Siamese crocodile preservation efforts in Xe Champhone Wetland Complex, as part of an EU-supported biodiversity conservation initiative implemented by the Wildlife Conservation Society (2020).





Ambassador Maria Castillo Fernandez visits the Sabah EU-REDD+ project in Sabah, Malaysia **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO MALAYSIA**

Forests are incredibly important for the community livelihoods in the Malaysian state of Sabah, where the majority of inhabitants live in rural areas and are predominantly dependent on farming and the forests. The EU-funded programme Tackling Climate Change through Sustainable Forest Management and Community Development aims to improve sources of livelihoods, particularly for women, through maintaining forests. The Sabah EU-REDD+ project aimed to reduce emissions from deforestation and forest degradation (2018).





Bringing education to Myanmar's conflict-affected children **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO MYANMAR/BURMA**

Children in Myanmar joined the school thanks to an EU-funded project, which over the last two years has strived to bring education services to Myanmar's conflict-affected areas where access to schools is either insufficient, or inexistent. (2018).





Mongolian Cashmere Wool Sector **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO MONGOLIA**

Being part of the SWITCH-Asia STeP Ecolab Project project was a turning point for herder Urnaa's family, as well as for neighbouring herders who were able to greatly improve the quality of their breed and cashmere (23 September 2020).





Women and Mountaineers **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO NEPAL**

Responsible mountaineering can be a means to empower women and to design locally owned paths towards a green and sustainable development. The EU stands with Himalayan communities and indigenous people to address climate change, governance, education, gender and environmental issues and create local success stories together (5 May 2018).





Team Europe spirit at the "Enjoy It's from Europe" stand **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO NEW ZEALAND**

The Dutch Ambassador embodies the Team Europe spirit at the "Enjoy It's from Europe" stand. The EU Delegation to New Zealand promoted Geographical Indications at the New Zealand FieldDays, the largest agri-expo in Australasia. The wider context is the ongoing EU-New Zealand Free Trade Agreement (FTA) negotiations where Geographical Indications are an EU interest. (June 2019).





Pakistani using truck art to celebrate girl child day **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO PAKISTAN**

To commemorate the International Day of the Girl Child, the Ministry of Human Rights under the European Unionfunded Huqooq-e-Pakistan Programme launched an awareness campaign on the Rights of the Girl Child using truck art as a tool to reach out to people in rural areas in particular. On this occasion twenty trucks – as mobile billboards – were painted with positive messages on rights of the Girl Child to spread the message across Pakistan (11 October 2019).



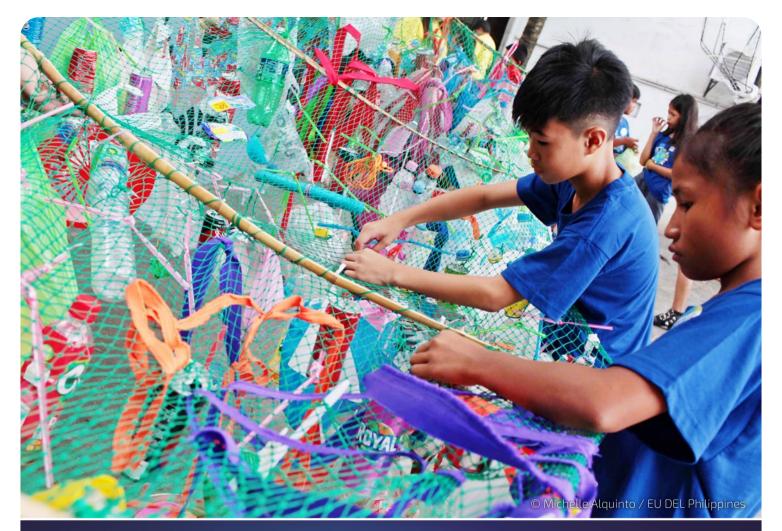


Following a severe "El Nino" episode, the European Union allocated funds to provide support to affected communities in many parts of the world. Papua New Guinea was the recipient of a total of EUR 3 millions. In the island of Kiriwina in the Trobriands group of the Milne Bay Province, vulnerable communities were supported with a project designed to strengthen food production capacity and the resilience to drought. Mr Adrien Mourgues, Team Leader of Planet and Prosperity at the EU Delegation joins the youth group that was part of the welcoming ceremony (2019).

Support to affected communities following a severe "El Nino" episode

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION
TO PAPUA NEW GUINEA





Please do not feed our plastic monster anymore! **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE PHILIPPINES**

Children from the capital city of the Philippines, Manila, created their art installation "Plastic Monster" during the summit "Children: Partners in the Fight Against Climate Change" held in 2019 by the EU Delegation to the Philippines in partnership with the Museo Pambata (Children's Museum).





EU-Singapore Free Trade Agreement (EUSFTA) **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO SINGAPORE**

A landmark agreement deepening EU-Singapore economic and trade ties. The EUSFTA – the first bilateral FTA in South-East Asia – entered into force on 21 November 2019. The benefits of this trade deal range from tariff elimination to reduced technical barriers to trade and better access to the EU and Singapore services and procurement markets.





A 7.7 EUR million project, implemented by ACTED Sri Lanka, supported job creation and improved the incomes of people most affected by Sri Lanka's 26-year ethnic conflict. The EU's humanitarian and post-conflict reconstruction assistance has provided safety and support in the former conflict zones (11 February 2013).

Rebuilding after war

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

TO SRI LANKA AND MALDIVES





Save the turtles! **EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AND TRADE OFFICE IN TAIWAN**

In an effort to raise public awareness on how marine waste is harming lives under the sea, participants used collected waste to form the shape of a sea turtle at the 2019 EU-Taiwan Beach Cleanup in Bali, New Taipei City, Taiwan.





A short break from work **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THAILAND**

As a result of EU dialogues on illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing (IUU) as well as labour issues, Thailand became the first country in Asia to ratify the International Labour Organization (ILO) conventions on work in fisheries and forced labour. This means improved working conditions for the workers, many of whom are migrants, as well as a more sustainable fishing sector (23 February 2018).

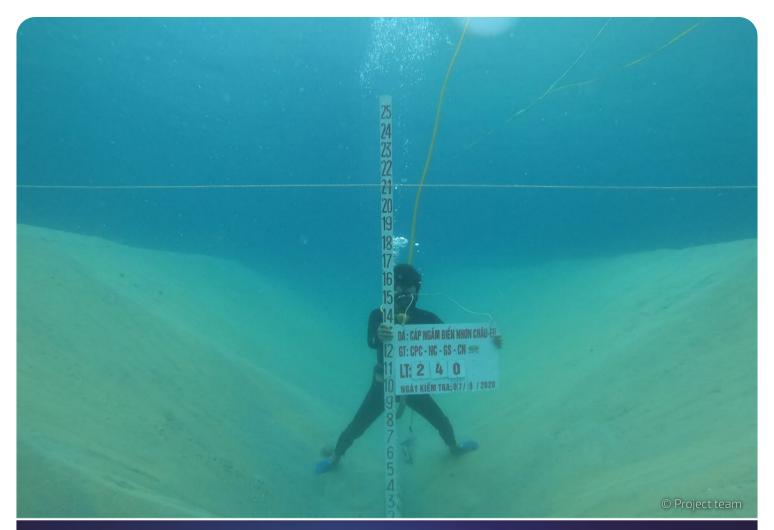




Banging the drum for cultural cooperation in Timor-Leste **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO TIMOR-LESTE**

Ambassador of the EU to Timor-Leste Andrew Jacobs, Nobel Peace Prize Laureate and former President and Prime Minister of Timor-Leste Dr José Ramos Horta, US Ambassador Kathleen Fitzpatrick, UNDP Resident Representative Munkhtuya Altangerel, and Director of PixelAsia Lena Lenzen bang the traditional Timorese drum babadok to launch officially the EU-supported International Film Festival 2020, one of the most important cultural events in Dili (1 October 2020).





Access to the national electricity grid by submarine power cables **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO VIETNAM**

The island commune of Nhon Chau in the central Binh Binh province of Vietnam can now access to the national electricity grid by submarine power cables thanks to an EU-funded project. The submarine cables expanding the national grid to Nhon Chau Island is a success story of the cooperation among the EU, the Ministry of Industry and Trade, Electricity of Vietnam and local authorities (September 2020).









The EU supported search and rescue operations after earthquake **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ALBANIA**

More than 200.000 Albanians lost their homes because of the November 2019 earthquake. EU Ambassador Soreca met many of them – here at a temporary camp in Vora. The EU supported search and rescue operations, delivery of assistance material and donated 115 million euros to rebuild 58 schools and rehabilitate cultural sites.





Medical team from Germany arriving to Armenia during the COVID-19 crisis **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ARMENIA**

The medical team from ISAR Germany and Caritas Germany arrived in Armenia in July 2020 to support the country during the COVID-19 crisis. The efforts of the team were supported by the EU ECHO (European Civil protection and Humaniatrian Aid Civil Operations) civil protection Mechanism, World Health Organisation, Robert Koch Institute, Federal Ministry of Health and German Air Force.





Confidence in the Future DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO AZERBAIJAN

A student harvests grapes in the Ismayilli district of Azerbaijan as part of an extensive Vocational Education Training program (5 September 2019).





EU Heads of Missions in Belarus Mark the International Day of Non-Violence **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO BELARUS**

In the fall of 2020, as the people of Belarus continued to demand a free and fair election, release of political prisoners, and prosecution of those responsible for police brutality and repressions, the diplomatic community showed its solidarity by marking the International Day of Non-Violence.





"Save lives" - EU support to BiH during COVID-19

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA & OFFICE

OF THE EU SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE IN BIH

The Head of the EU Delegation and EU Special Representative in BiH Ambassador Johann Sattler and the Chair of the BiH Presidency Šefik Džaferović welcome a plane at Sarajevo International Airport, bringing over ventilators arriving to tackle the COVID-19 outbreak in April 2020. The flight costs were covered by the European Union.

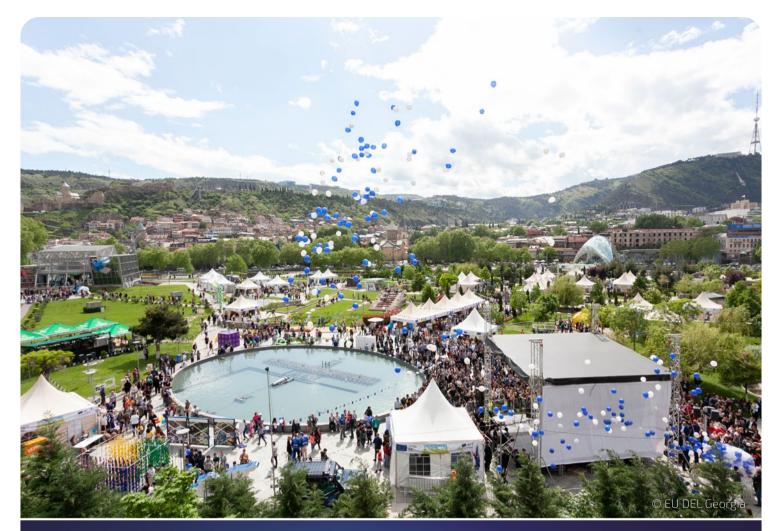




The Ode to Joy in front of the Delegation of the EU to the Council of Europe **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE - STRASBOURG**

Celebrating Europe's Day, a band played the Ode to Joy in front of the building of the EU Delegation to the Council of Europe (9 May 2016).





It's a Party! **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO GEORGIA**

The Europe Day celebrations in Tbilisi organised by the EU Delegation are one of the largest public events in the City, with an estimated 30,000 visitors over the course of the day. In 2019 the President, Prime Minister and Mayor of Tbilisi each gave opening remarks, passing a strong message of EU support (9 May 2019).





Cleaning the Beaches of Iceland DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ICELAND

The EU Delegation to Iceland regularly joins forces with local Non Governmental Organisations, students and Embassies of the Member States to demonstrate the EU's concern for environmental affairs in action. This picture was taken in the South of Iceland during a Beach Clean-Up, which made the news for the amount of waste removed (27 June 2019).

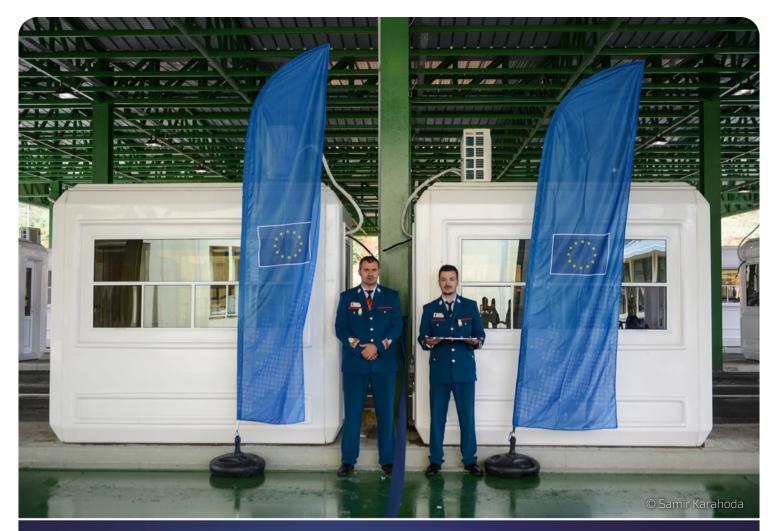




EU Ambassador Sven-Olov Carlsson with a winner of #Kids4Rights drawing competition **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN**

The children's drawing contest was organised by the EU Delegation to Kazakhstan together with partners from UNICEF, Embassies of Belgium and Switzerland to mark the 30th Anniversary of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child. The best art works received awards and prizes and were displayed at one of Nur-Sultan's entertaining malls (7 December 2019).





Integrated Border Management Kosovo-Albania
EUROPEAN UNION OFFICE IN KOSOVO/EUROPEAN UNION SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE IN KOSOVO

Opening of Morina integrated border management point, Kosovo-Albania border (July 2018).





IT academy graduation DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

First students successfully completed the training course on programming organised as part of the EU funded project for youth with special needs "Programming Without Barriers" (January 2019).





A stamp to commemorate

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE HOLY SEE, ORDER OF MALTA,
UN ORGANISATIONS IN ROME AND TO THE REPUBLIC OF SAN MARINO

In a small ceremony at the Vatican, the Secretary of State, His Eminence Cardinal Pietro Parolin, presented a commemorative stamp to H. E. Alexandra Valkenburg, Head of the EU Delegation to the Holy See., and H.E. Michael Hans Werner Koch, representing Germany, the country holding the European Union Presidency in the Council at the time. The stamp commemorates the 50th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between the Holy See and the European Union (10 November 2020).





EU supports Moldova to purchase new locomotives **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA**

EU Ambassador Peter Michalko, at the handover ceremony of 12 locomotives acquired with support from the European Union, the European Investment Bank (EIB) and our partners from the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD), to make the Republic of Moldova's railway system greener, safer and more sustainable (14 July 2020).





Young European Ambassadors **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO MONTENEGRO**

The club of Young European Ambassadors was established in Montenegro in 2019 with the aim to empower young people to take an active role in society and promote European values in their communities.





Signing ceremony of Prespa Agreement between Greece and the Republic of North Macedonia

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

The European Union, represented by Federica Mogherini, High Representative of the Union Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice-President of the European Commission, and Commissionner Hahn, have strongly supported the historic agreement signed by Prime Ministers Tsipras and Zaev, following negotiations under the auspices of the United Nations (UN). It took political courage, leadership and responsibility on all sides to resolve one of the most entrenched disputes in the region (17 June 2018).





HarbourEx15 in the Oslo-fjord **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO NORWAY**

EU Ambassador to Norway Helen Campbell and EU/EEA Minister Vidar Helgesen observing the civil protection exercise HarbourEx15 in the Oslo-fjord, simulating a complex accident escalating slowly into a massive disaster, conducted by the Norwegian Directorate for Civil Protection (DSB) as a part of a European Civil Protection Exercise Programme (28-29 April 2015).





Multilateralism at work in time of COVID-19 DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE OECD AND UNESCO IN PARIS AND TO THE PRINCIPALITIES OF ANDORRA AND MONACO

On the occasion of the 60th anniversary of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), President of the European Council Charles Michel meets the OECD Secretary General, Mr. Angel Gurria and the Director General of UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization), Ms. Audrey Azoulay. Nothing replaces a "mask to mask" meeting (14 Decembre 2020).





Restoration of the Porzhenskiy Pogost in Kenozersky National Park. **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO RUSSIA**

The restoration was done under the EU-funded project "Disappearing masterpieces" in 2010 – 2012.





High Representive and Vice President Josep Borell visits SatCen **EUROPEAN UNION SATELLITE CENTRE**

High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice President of the European Commission, Josep Borrell, visits SatCen: geospatial intelligence at the service of EU common foreign and security policy. A success story on how Satcen analyses can provide concrete benefits for CFSP (24 February 2020).

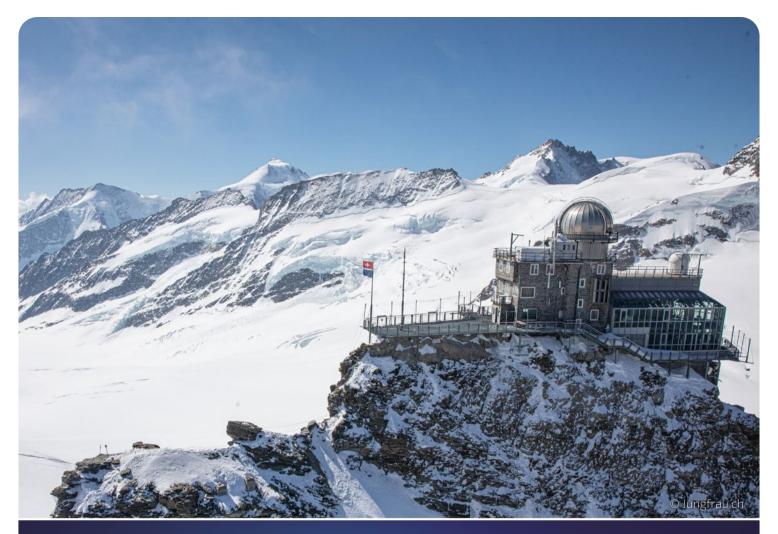




Help after Floods – EU answers the call **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO SERBIA**

Serbia was hit by catastrophic floods in 2014. The European Union supported the efforts to mitigate the effects, to heal communities and to improve infrastructure so this disaster doesn't happen again.





Jungfraujoch – Top of Europe DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO SWITZERLAND AND THE PRINCIPALITY OF LIECHTENSTEIN

Swiss and EU flag waving in the wind on the Jungfraujoch - "Top of Europe" on Europe Day 2020. Symbolising EU-Swiss solidarity during the Covid-19 crisis (9 May 2020).





Launch of the "Orange Ball Cup" – the first ever football tournament for Tajik girls and boys

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE REPUBLIC OF TAJIKISTAN

To mark the 16 days of activism against Gender based violence, EUDEL Tajikistan launched the 1st Mini World football cup for boys and girls in Tajikistan. The Orange Ball Cup, was coorganised together with the Tajik MFA and Football Federation, as well as with 16 sponsoring embassies. During the Cup, 150 girls from Tajikistan's rural areas were also given the once in a life time experience to train with the female national football team, receive professional football- and sport coaching from the country's most famous sport stars, discuss self-empowerment and gender issues, as well as the opportunity to visit the cultural sites of the capital Dushanbe (November 2019).





EU humanitarian aid for refugees in Turkey **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO TURKEY**

A medical worker assembles a custom made prosthetic leg at the EU-funded Relief International Prosthetic Centre in Reyhanli, Turkey (2019).





EU supports Apple Farming and Cultivation Training Turkmenistan to promote Horticultural output

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO TURKMENISTAN

The EU-funded project provided field training sessions to equip local fruit producers with the knowledge and skills to understand and implement new farming and cultivation techniques. The objective is to increase productivity and the lifespan of the new fruit tree varieties (February 2019).



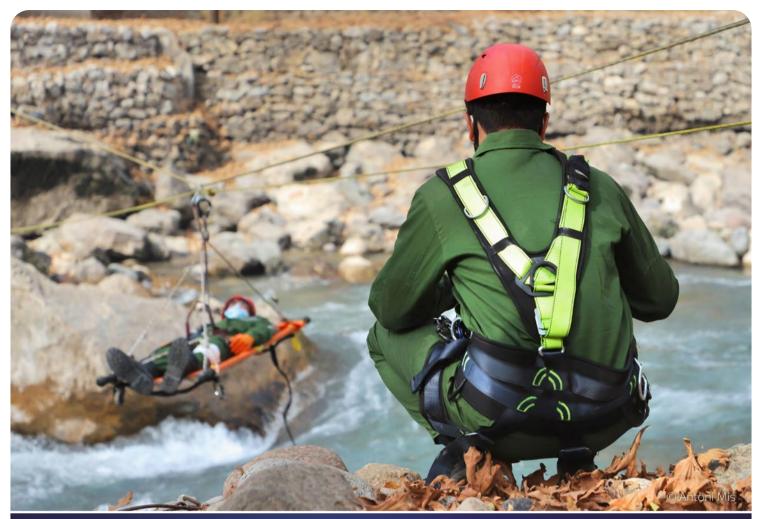


Josep Borrell Fontelles participating in a commemorative ceremony at the Wall of Remembrance

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO UKRAINE

On 22 September 2020, Josep Borrell Fontelles, High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice-President of the European Commission travelled to Kyiv, Ukraine. He participated in commemoration ceremonies at the Ministry of Defence Memorial, Maidan Monument and the Wall of Remembrance of the Fallen Defenders of Ukraine.





Committee of Emergency Situations and Civil Defence rescuers practicing transporting a casualty across a mountain river

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS IN VIENNA

This photo was taken during one of practical exercises conducted as part of the Committee of Emergency Situations and Civil Defence – Sustained Field Operational Capability (CoESCD SFOC) course in November 2020. The rescuers were practicing transporting a casualty across a mountain river. CoESCD rescuers practicing transporting a casualty across a mountain river. The exercise was conducted in Varzob, Tajikistan as part of a 4-week SFOC course held in November 2020.





The UK Task Force arrives in St. Pancras, London, for post-Brexit trade deal talks with the United Kingdom

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE UNITED KINGDOM

The EU Ambassador to the UK, João Vale de Almeida, greets the EU chief Brexit negotiator Michel Barnier and members of the UK Task Force as they arrive in St. Pancras, London, to engage in negotiations on the Trade and Cooperation Agreement with the UK side (July 2020).





The European Union celebrated Europe Day and the 25th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between the EU and Uzbekistan in a festive atmosphere

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO UZBEKISTAN

EU Ambassador to Uzbekistan Eduards Stiprais said: "Today we are involved in an active dialogue that covers all aspects of our relationship, including political and financial support for ongoing reforms both domestically and in relations with our closest neighbors. And we hope to strengthen our relations by actively discussing the updated Partnership and Cooperation Agreement" (10 May 2019).





Europe Day in Geneva DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE UN AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS IN GENEVA

To celebrate Europe Day, the European Union Delegation in Geneva organised a special concert performed by the Orchestre des Nations on Thursday 2 May, gathering diplomatic representatives and UN organisations from more than 90 countries, as well as inhabitants of Geneva (2019).





Europe Day
PERMANENT MISSION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION (WTO) - GENEVA

For the second time, Geneva's landmark, the Jet d'eau, lit up in blue on the occasion of Europe Day 2014.









La musique touarègue à l'honneur au Festival européen **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN ALGÉRIE**

Le virtuose de la chanson touarègue, Othmane Bali enflammait le public algérien en mai 2005 lors de la 6ème édition du Festival européen. Depuis 20 ans, cet évènement est devenu l'expression du dialogue et du rapprochement interculturel entre les deux rives de la Méditerranée.





Egyptian students simulating the European Union Institutions **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO EGYPT**

Students of Assiut University in Upper Egypt held a conference in which they simulated the work of EU institutions. They presented the views of their respective countries and debated and drafted resolutions. Head of the EU Delegation, Ambassador Christian Berger, participated in the conference, along with representatives from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (12 October 2020).





Ensuring a safe return - EU Regional Trust Fund in Response to the Syrian crisis, Madad **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO IRAQ**

To ensure the safe return home of internally displaced people after Da'esh has been expelled from their home regions, de-contaminating efforts are more critical than ever. Many life-saving demining activities in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq are funded by the EU, through the Trust Fund Madad and implemented by MAG and Handicap International (2018).





The EU at the 2020 World Holocaust Forum in Jerusalem **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO ISRAEL**

President of the European Council Charles Michel, President of the European Commission Ursula Von der Leyen and President of the European Parliament David Sassoli lay a wreath in memory of the victims of the Holocaust at the January 2020 Fifth World Holocaust Forum, held at Yad Vashem in Jerusalem (23 January 2020).





Former EU High Representative and Vice President of the European Commission Federica Mogherini decorated by His Majesty King Abdullah II **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO JORDAN**

His Majesty King Abdullah II, accompanied by His Royal Highness Crown Prince Al Hussein bin Abdullah II, bestows Order of Al Istiqlal of the First Degree on former EU High Representative for Foreign Affairs Federica Mogherini in appreciation for her efforts to bolster Jordan-EU ties (7 October 2019).

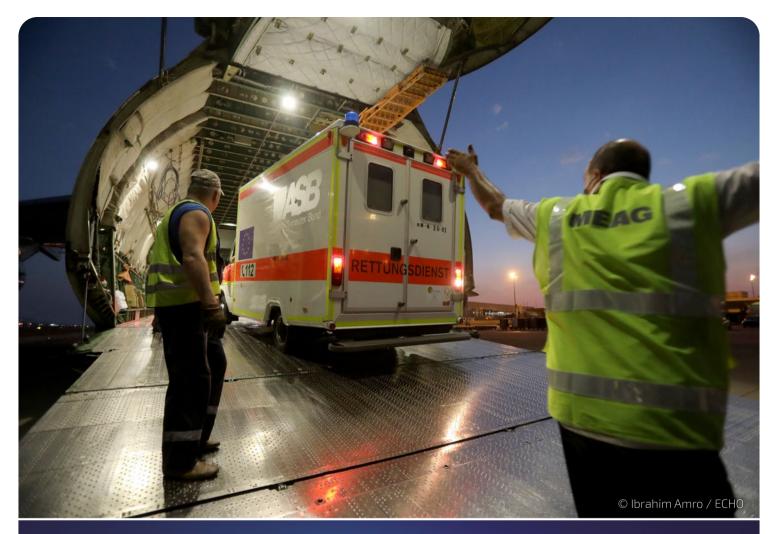




The first EU - Heads of Missions (HOMS) meeting DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO THE STATE OF KUWAIT AND THE STATE OF QATAR

The first EU-Heads of Missions (HOMS) meeting to be held at the EU residence in Kuwait hosting H.E. Ambassador Walid Al Khubaizi, Kuwait's Assistant Foreign Minister for European Affairs. The discussion was about raising the EU profile in the region and about Kuwait's role as a mediator in the Gulf rift and in regional stability (27 January 2021).





EU Response to the Beirut Blast **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO LEBANON**

Following the tragic explosion that shook the city of Beirut, the European Union organised three humanitarian air bridges to respond to the most urgent needs of the Lebanese people. One of the planes carried ambulances and medical equipment donated to the Lebanese Civil Defence and Red Cross (2020).





Women coders break up gender boundaries in Libya **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO LIBYA**

Promoting equal opportunities for women and men is an important element of EU development assistance. In Libya, the European Union works with entrepreneurs, business start-ups and NGOs to increase women participation in the labour market and strengthen their economic independence. Entering a traditionally male dominated sector, a group of aspiring female entrepreneurs from Benghazi participated in an intensive boot camp to learn how to code and programme (November 2019).





Lutte contre l'abandon scolaire **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE AU MAROC**

Le taux d'abandon scolaire est sensiblement réduit quand les enfants commencent leur éducation dès le préscolaire. Une petite fille dessine sur une ardoise dans la classe de préscolaire de la commune rurale Aliane dans la région du Rif au nord du Maroc (octobre 2018).





Eight young prominent TikTok influencers have promoted #TheRealChallenge in Saudi Arabia. They have conveyed the message that children's rights are universal and cannot be taken for granted. The free campaign has gained a total of 1,569,500 views (2019).

#TheRealChallenge Campaign
EUROPEAN UNION DELEGATION TO THE KINGDOM OF
SAUDI ARABIA, THE KINGDOM OF BAHRAIN AND THE
SULTANATE OF OMAN





Walking with Ali: Making life easier for refugees with disabilities **DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO SYRIA**

Nine-year-old Ali knows the struggle all too well. Ali has a disability that affects his ability to walk, sit comfortably and generally move around independently. But it didn't stop him from going to school in Homs, Syria, where he grew up. He especially loves mathematics. When his family fled their home in Syria more than four years ago, they had no idea what the future would hold. Where would they end up? How would they earn a living to support their large family? Would Ali cope without the additional support he needs? They just knew they had to leave if they wanted to survive (29 February 2016).





EuResearchers'night **DÉLÉGATION DE L'UNION EUROPÉENNE EN TUNISIE**

Le 28 septembre 2018, la Tunisie a vécu au rythme des villes européennes pour célébrer la recherche scientifique à travers un évènement d'envergure et original, fruit de la coopération entre la Tunisie et l'Union européenne. Il s'agit de "Lila Jamila" en Tunisie et "EuResearchers'night" en Europe.





In celebration of Europe Day on 9 May 2020, the EU flag is draped over Burj Khalifa, the world's tallest building, conveying a message of partnership and cooperation and making the EU visible in spite of the restrictions imposed due to the pandemic.

Burj Khalifa

DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

TO THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES





At Damascus Gate
OFFICE OF THE EUROPEAN UNION REPRESENTATIVE WEST BANK AND GAZA STRIP, UNRWA
(UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND WORKS AGENCY FOR PALESTINE REFUGEES IN THE NEAR EAST)

Palestinian girls and boys looking at the Damascus gate after a long day of cleaning East Jerusalem neighbourhoods as part of the "My Green Jerusalem" EU initiative (19 September 2019).





United against Coronavirus DELEGATION OF THE EUROPEAN UNION TO YEMEN

In July 2020, the EU launched the largest humanitarian air bridge to date. More than 220 tons of medical materials and relief were flown into Aden and Sana'a to continue providing emergency assistance. The EU has also stepped up its fight against the Covid-19 pandemic by supporting the Yemeni health infrastructure and preventing it from collapsing .









The Female Training Institute **EU ADVISORY MISSION (EUAM) IRAQ**

EUAM Iraq works closely with the Female Training Institute of the Ministry of Interior (MoI). The purpose of the cooperation is to support the Institute in building its capacity in the field of gender and human rights as well as increasing the annual graduation rate of women in the Iraqi police force (28 August 2019).





EUAM RCA: The newest civilian CSDP mission started its work in 2020 under challenging conditions **EU ADVISORY MISSION (EUAM) CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC**

Established in December 2019, the EU Advisory Mission advises the Central-African government on the reform of its civilian security sector. The Mission is the newest of the 11 civilian CSDP Missions currently in operation (2020).





Europe Day in Kyiv EUROPEAN UNION ADVISORY MISSION (EUAM) UKRAINE

EUAM advisers with their Ukrainian counterpart from the National Police of Ukraine during Europe Day in Kyiv (17 May 2017).





The EU Border Assistance Mission the development of Libyan capacities for border management, law enforcement and criminal justice EU BORDER ASSISTANCE MISSION (EUBAM) LIBYA

Since 2013, the EU Border Assistance Mission supports the development of Libyan capacities for border management, law enforcement and criminal justice. A Train-the-Trainer course for the Libyan Judiciary is one of many support and advisory activities of this civilian CSDP Mission (November 2017).





A new Palestinian Command and Control Centre EU BORDER ASSISTANCE MISSION (EUBAM) RAFAH

As part of the EU's commitment to a negotiated twostate settlement to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, EU Border Assistance Mission Rafah supports the Palestinian General Administration for Borders and Crossings to build capacity. A new, EU-funded Command and Control Centre helps strengthen the ability of the General Administration for Borders and Crossings' (GABC) to monitor and control the movement of people and goods (11 December 2019).

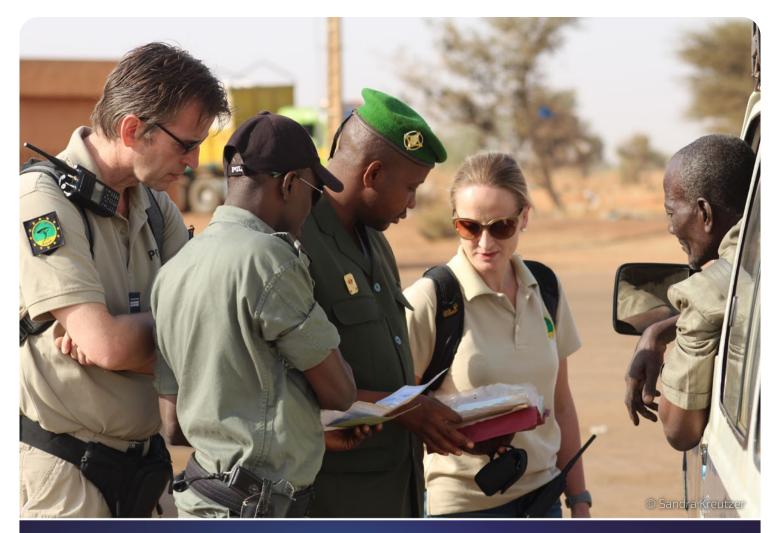




Training with Police Component of the G5 Sahel in Burkina Faso **EU CAPACITY BUILDING (EUCAP) SAHEL MALI**

Since 2019, the EU capacity-building mission EUCAP Sahel Niger also provides assistance to other countries in the Sahel in order to fight transnational crime in the Sub region. In June 2019, the Mission conducted a first training in support of the Gendarmerie Forces in Burkina Faso as part of the G5 Sahel Police Component. The picture shows an exercise in forensics and securing of evidences.





Practical exercise in countering document fraud EU CAPACITY BUILDING (EUCAP) SAHEL NIGER

This picture was taken during an exercise conducted in 2019 by the Nigerien Internal Security to detect document fraud in Niger. EUCAP Sahel Niger has previously trained border police and provided equipment to border police stations. During the exercise, the Mission experts accompanied the Nigerien Security Forces and supported the implementation where necessary .





Pre-deployment training at General Kahiye Police Academy in Mogadishu **EU CAPACITY BUILDING (EUCAP) SOMALIA**

(From left to right) Maida Yusuf Abdullahi, Hodan Mohamud Hassan, Fadimo Abdi Mohamed, Halima Abdiweli Dahir, from a Darwish Unit of the Somali Police Force (SPF) pose for a group photo during predeployment training at General Kahiye Police Academy in Mogadishu, February 2020. The four female police officers said they joined the Darwish and the SPF to fight for peace and security in their country.

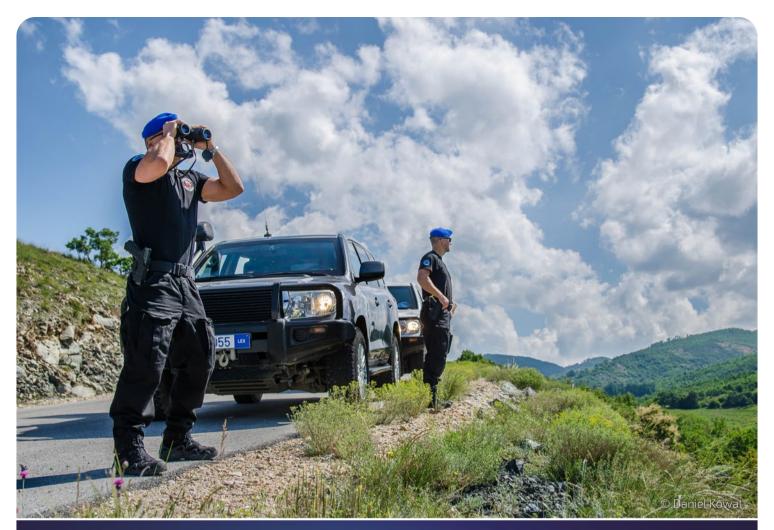




Evacuating flood affected civilians **EU FORCE IN BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA (EUFOR BIH) - OPERATION ALTHEA**

In 2014 Bosnia and Herzegovina was hit by the heaviest rainfall in 120 years, cutting off wide areas of the country. EUFOR joined lifesaving air evacuation efforts and later on reclassified its annual operational rehearsal into a disaster relief exercise assisting authorities with troops on the ground .





EULEX's Formed Police Unit's reconnaissance patrol in action EUROPEAN UNION RULE OF LAW MISSION / EULEX KOSOVO

Members of EULEX's Formed Police Unit carry out a reconnaissance patrol in Kosovo. EULEX's Formed Police Unit is Kosovo's second security responder in what is a three-layer security response mechanism where the Kosovo Police is the first security responder, EULEX is the second one, and NATO KFOR is the third (27 May 2018).





EUMM continues its presence on the ground in all weather conditions EUROPEAN UNION MONITORING MISSION IN GEORGIA

A monitor from EUMM Field Office Gori during a wintry patrol. EUMM monitors patrol 24/7, in line with the Mission mandate (27 December 2018).





EUNAVFOR ATALANTA commitment to Maritime Security EU NAVAL FORCE (EUNAVFOR) ATALANTA

The EU NAVFOR Spanish warship 'Navarra', the flagship of EU NAVFOR ATALANTA to fight piracy in the Indian Ocean, detains an alleged pirate skiff on suspicion of having hijacked a Yemeni fishing boat for four days and attacking two other ships. Latest reported piracy incident in the AOO (April 2019).





The first diversion in EU military history EU NAVAL FORCE (EUNAVFOR) MED IRINI

Operation EUNAVFOR MED Irini boarded, inspected and diverted to a European port, the Merchant Vessel Royal Diamond 7 for suspected violation of the UN arms embargo on Libya in international waters, 150 km north of the Libyan city of Derna (Cyrenaica). MV Royal Diamond 7 was carrying a cargo of Jet fuel, likely to be used for military purposes (10 September 2020).

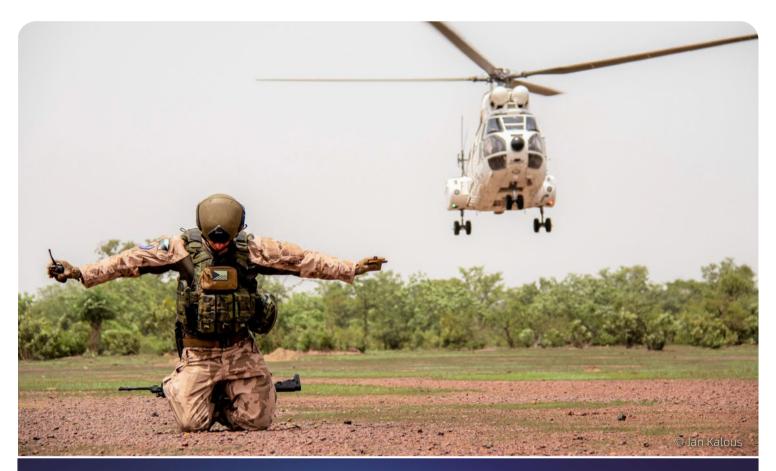




Celebrating the next generation of Palestinian Police officers **EU POLICE AND RULE OF LAW MISSION IN THE OCCUPIED PALESTINIAN TERRITORIES (EUPOL COPPS)**

The EU's role in supporting the development of civilian police forces in the West Bank is widely recognised. EUPOL COPPS places particular importance on training, including contributing to the basic curriculum for all new police officers. Here, a graduating class of future police officers marches forward (April 2018).





Sere pick up in Mali EU TRAINING MISSION (EUTM) MALI

The photo was taken during an extraction exercise. The situation given is that one EUTM member requires immediate evacuation from a possible hostile area. When the extraction team arrives to the extract point they have to be sure that they take a real EUTM member. For the personnel to be transported, they must comply with some rules to avoid being taken as a possible threat to the extraction team (7 August 2020).





Empowerment **EU TRAINING MISSION (EUTM) CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC**

Ceremony END CT2 administration (22 December 2020).





Women & Security EU TRAINING MISSION (EUTM) SOMALIA

Creating a safety frame in support of EUTM Somalia CIMIC (Civil-Military Co-operation) team activity (28 February 2021).





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